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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE Attorney's Docket Number Transmittal Letter to the United States B/O Form PTO-1390 Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) DASI3004/FJD Concerning a Filing Under 35 USC 371 U.S. Application Number (if known) lu International Application Number Priority Date Claimed International Filing Date PCT/EP2004/003141 24/Mar/04 25/Mar/03 Title of Invention Method for transmitting a software code from a control unit to a field device of process automation technology Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US Eugenio F. DA SILVA NETO Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items under 35 USC 371: 1. × This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371. 2. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)) at any time rather than delay 3. × examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 USC 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). 4. × The U.S. has been elected (Article 31). Ø A copy of the International Application as filed 35 USC 371(c)(2). is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). a. Ø has been transmitted by the International Bureau. b. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). c. 6. A translation of the International Application into English (35 USC 371(c)(2)). 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)) × a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). have been transmitted by the International Bureau. b. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. c. d. have not been made and will not be made. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)). 8. 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 USC 371(c)(4)). (D Executed □ Unexecuted) 10 A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 USC 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 16 below concern other document(s) or information included: П An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 11. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. A preliminary amendment. 14. Ø An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. A substitute specification. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 16. 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825. 18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. × Priority is claimed for German application no. 103 13 389.5 with a filing date of 25 March 2003.

a copy of WO 2004/086156 A2

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Other items or information:

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.